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Group Art No.: 2822

Serial No. 09/756,997 :

Examiner: Kenelt Pierre

Filed: January 8, 2001 :IBM Corporation
Bldg. 300, Zip 482Title: METHOD FOR ELIMINATING
DEVELOPMENT RELATED DEFECTS IN
PHOTORESIST MASKS :2070 Route 52
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Responsive to the Office Action dated 12/12/2002, kindly amend the above-
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)			Docket No. FR919990065US1
Applicant(s): Caroline Boulenger, et al.			
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Invention: Method for Eliminating Development Related Defects in Photoresist Masks

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- Amendment
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